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# Memorandum

TO: SAC, DALLAS (89-43) DATE: 11/26/63

FROM: SA CARL E. UNDERHILL

SUBJECT: ASSASSINATION OF PRESIDENT JOHN F. KENNEDY

On 11/26/63, BARNEY H. TIMMINS, JR., AUSA, telephonically advised that he had been in receipt of a telephone call from an [redacted] who maintains offices at [redacted], had called him with the following information:

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A friend and client of [redacted] after the death of President KENNEDY went to the Irving area and wandered around the river bottom and river banks near OSWALD's reported residence thinking that OSWALD may have indulged in some target practice prior to the shooting. Apparently this friend found some tin cans full of holes which appeared to be bullet holes and also discovered a tree which appeared to have been climbed by someone and he speculated that shots may have been fired from this tree. [redacted] has the tin cans in his office at the present time and can be contacted any time after 3:00 p.m. this date.

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TIMMINS commented that [redacted] desired that his identity by kept confidential since there a possibility that he would be representing JACK RUBY in the forthcoming murder trial. TIMMINS commented that there were possibly a lot of people who held target practice at the river bottom in Irving but he felt obligated to pass this information on to the Bureau.

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On 11/25/63 Dial D. Ryder, Irving, Tex. said he, Dial, Sports Shop, Irving, Tex. and everyone else in the Irving, Tex. area that that fires were in the area in the bottom in the Irving area.

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